

**CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA**

MAYOR' S RECOGNITION

Earth Day

April 22, 2013

WHEREAS, The global community now faces extraordinary challenges, such as global health issues, food and water shortage, and economic struggles; and

WHEREAS, All people, regardless of race, gender, income, or geography are entitled to a healthy, sustainable environment with economic growth; and

WHEREAS, It is understood that the citizens of the global community must step forward and take action to create a green economy to combat the aforementioned global challenges; and

WHEREAS, A green economy can be achieved on an individual level through education efforts, public policy, and consumer activism campaigns; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary to broaden and diversify this global movement to achieve maximum success.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mary E. Wythe, Mayor of the City of Homer, do hereby recognize April 22, 2013 as:

Earth Day

And encourage the local residents, businesses, and institutions to use Earth Day to celebrate the Earth and commit to building a sustainable and green economy.

CITY OF HOMER

MARY E. WYTHE, MAYOR

ATTEST:

JO JOHNSON, CMC, CITY CLERK